

Filing for Expression of interest relating to WC Docket No. 10-90

(Please consider this as a re-submission of filing made earlier on March 7th that did not post)

Submitting Entity:

FIWI Communications LLC a Nevada Company (herein referred to as "FIWI" with its primary offices at 1657 Lucerne Street Suite C Minden NV 89423 shall be the primary entity. FIWI is an Internet Service provider. It provides data and Internet services over leased fiber and Wireless infrastructures.

Broadband technologies to be deployed:

Technologies shall be a combination of Fiber and wireless networks. Fiber infrastructure will be utilized for backbone and service to large end users. Licensed wireless network will be utilized to enhance the backbone. Unlicensed wireless service will be utilized to reach individual end users locations.

Contemplated service offering:

Combination of private (MPLS) data networks along with VoIP and high performance Internet services will be made available. The minimum Internet service speed offering will be 10Mb. Speeds up to 100Mb will be optionally available throughout the coverage areas.

Proposed Service Areas:

CountyName	TractID	CountyName	TractID
Esmeralda	32009950100	Nye	32023960402
Lyon	32019960101	Nye	32023960403
Lyon	32019960103	Nye	32023960404
Lyon	32019960201	Nye	32023960405
Lyon	32019960202	Nye	32023960406
Lyon	32019960301	Nye	32023980500
Lyon	32019960302		
Lyon	32019960303		
Lyon	32019960800		
Lyon	32019960900		
Mineral	32021970700		
Mineral	32021970800		
Nye	32023960100		
Nye	32023960200		
Nye	32023960300		
Nye	32023960401		

Number of Community Anchor Institutions (CAIs)

	<u>Esmeralda</u>	<u>Lyon</u>	<u>Mineral</u>	<u>Nye</u>
School K-12	3	24	4	18
Library	3	5	2	8
Medical / Healthcare	0	49	2	42
Public Safety	2	4	5	3
University College, Other Post Secondary	0	5	1	2
Other Community Support - Government	2	28	5	32
Other Community Support - Non-Government	3	10	5	6

Expected State and Tribal Governmental participation:

One of our Team member who used to work for Connect Nevada conducted broadband technology assessment in our proposed service areas. His community contacts and experiences will be valuable in expediting deployment of our solution. We have identified that the following as the main local entities that we need to directly work with in support of our endeavor:

Esmeralda County

- Esmeralda County Board of Commissioners
- Esmeralda School District

Lyon County

- Lyon County Broadband Technology Planning Team
- Lyon County Board of Commissioners
- Lyon County School District
- Yerington Paiute Tribe

Mineral County

- Mineral County Economic Development Board
- Mineral County Board of Commissioners
- Walker River Paiute Tribe
- Mineral County School District

Nye County

- Nye County Regional Economic Development Authority
- Nye County Board of Commissioners
- Nye County School District
- Duckwater Shoshone Tribe

Expected Funding Uses:

The project is expecting to require one-time funding for community outreach and capital expenditures (infrastructure). However, additional funding will be required for operating expenses to sustain the local service.

Targeted Area based on Eligible Census Tracts

Legend:

Boundaries

State

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Features

Major Road

Street

Stream/Waterbody

Your Selections

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